

Mentoring the Next Generation through the Internet

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**How to Fulfill the Mentor  
Requirement for your  
Annual CPA Report**

# WHAT is icouldbe?

*A Media that students are comfortable with*



Imagine interactive technology /social network similar to *Face book*



Designed specifically for students to set and meet current and future academic, career and college goals



Guided by the support and care of adult mentors focused on one student at a time.

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# WHERE is icouldbe.org

*Any place that has internet access*



In class



Home



Anywhere with internet access



Online 24/7

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# WHEN icouldbe.org

*Any time, at the convenience of the student*



Meaningful relationships when needed to explore dreams for the future



1 hour or a class period a week



Mentoring at a time in students life when questions and decisions about their future are critical

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# WHY icouldbe.org

## *America's Youth Need More Guidance*



Eliminates costs for high levels of staff supervision background checking



The number of students mentored in each school is unlimited



The CPA model requires mentors for all 11<sup>th</sup> grade academy students

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# WHY icouldbe.org

## *America's Youth Need More Guidance*



The quantity and quality of mentors are unlimited



The quantity and quality of mentors can improve significantly over face to face mentoring






Students are accustomed to online interaction and feel more comfortable with it

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# The Case for E-Mentoring

-  Students have multiple opportunities to connect with mentors, regardless of location.
-  This eliminates transportation , mentor travel time and other costs at the same time
-  Geographic and other barriers are removed.

## SAFETY

# The icouldbe.org Curriculum

*Interactive, Individualized & Practical*  
Curriculum is student driven

Students choose their path

- Career Exploration
- College Preparation
- Financial Literacy
- Or, they can create one

This is the icouldbe.org Curriculum.

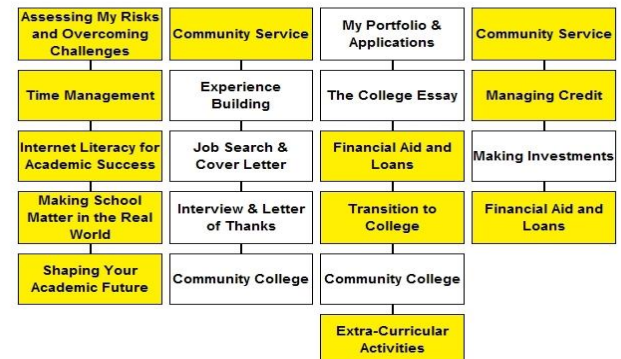
All of the boxes below are units. Place your mouse over a box to read a description of the unit. Everybody starts with the green boxes of the **Core Curriculum**.



When you complete the core curriculum you will select a focused **PATH** to follow. Our four suggested paths are presented as columns below:



The above units are blue because they are prerequisites. That means that you have to take the blue units in a path before you take the elective units below.






Last But Not Least.....

*How Can This Help My Academy? OR What's in it for me?*

## Academy requirement

 11<sup>th</sup> Grade Students are required to have a mentor

 Counts as matching funds from business partners

# Matching Funds








- Calculate dollars X students X mentor hours  
= matching funds for grant

- Example

1 Mentor 32 hrs @\$50.00 Hr. = \$1,600

X 25 Students = \$31,250

*Total Matching Funds = \$40,000.00*

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-  How much class time does this take?
  -  What if I am not a tech person?
  -  How will the students learn the program?
  -  Can my other Academy students do this also?
  -  How do I grade the students?
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A LOOK AT OUR  
WEB SITE.



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# The Partnership Illustrated

*Partnering Towards Innovation*



# COST PER STUDENT

~~\$365.00~~  
~~\$85.00~~  
~~\$50.00~~  
**FREE**

QUESTIONS?

  
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